

CITY OF HAWTHORNE



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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

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Sachi A. Hamai
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EXECUTIVE OFFICER

June 27, 2013

Ms. Sachi A. Hamai, Executive Officer
Board of Supervisors, County of Los Angeles
500 W. Temple St., Room 383
Los Angeles, CA 90012

Dear Ms. Hamai:

Enclosed please find a certified copy of City of Hawthorne Resolution No. 7544, calling and giving notice of a General Municipal Election to be held in the City of Hawthorne on Tuesday, November 5, 2013, and requesting consolidation of said election, adopted by the Hawthorne City Council at their regular meeting of May 28, 2013.

The City of Hawthorne respectfully requests that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles permit the Registrar-Recorder's Department to tender any assistance, records or election equipment it deems necessary, according to state and federal law, for the conduct of said election.

The City will reimburse the County for services performed when the election is completed and upon presentation to the City of a properly approved bill.

Sincerely,

Monica Dieris
Monica Dieris
Deputy City Clerk

RESOLUTION NO. 7544

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HAWTHORNE, CALIFORNIA, CALLING AND GIVING NOTICE OF A GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION TO BE HELD IN THE CITY OF HAWTHORNE FOR THE ELECTION OF CERTAIN OFFICERS AS REQUIRED BY THE PROVISIONS OF THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA RELATING TO GENERAL LAW CITIES AND REQUESTING CONSOLIDATION OF THE REGULAR ELECTION OF THE GOVERNING SCHOOL BOARD ON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2013, AND REQUESTING THAT THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS ISSUE INSTRUCTIONS TO THE REGISTRAR-RECORDER TO TAKE ANY AND ALL STEPS NECESSARY FOR THE HOLDING OF THE CONSOLIDATED ELECTION

WHEREAS, under the provisions of the laws relating to General Law Cities in the State of California, a general municipal election shall be held on Tuesday, November 5, 2013, for the election of a Mayor for the full term of two years, City Clerk for the full term of four years, City Treasurer for the full term of four years and two members of the City Council for both the full term of four years; and

WHEREAS, it is desirable that said general municipal election be consolidated with the governing school board election to be held on the same date and that within said City the precincts, polling places and election of officers of the two elections be the same, and that the Registrar-Recorder of the County of Los Angeles canvass the returns of the municipal election and that said general municipal election be held in all respects as if there were only one election.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HAWTHORNE, CALIFORNIA, DOES HEREBY RESOLVE, DECLARE, DETERMINE AND ORDER AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. That pursuant to the requirements of the laws of the State of California relating to General Law Cities within said State, there hereby called and ordered, held in the City of Hawthorne, California, on Tuesday, November 5, 2013, a general municipal election of the qualified electors of the City to be consolidated with the governing school board election for the purpose of electing a Mayor for the full term of two years, the City Clerk for the full term of four years, the City Treasurer for the full term of four years and two members of the City Council for the full term of four years.

Section 2. The Registrar-Recorder is hereby authorized to canvas the returns of the general municipal election which it is hereby requested to consolidate with the governing school board election and the said election shall be held in all respects as if there were only one election, and only one form of ballot shall be used.

Section 3. That the Board of Supervisors is hereby requested to issue instruction to the Registrar-Recorder to take any and all steps necessary for the holding of the consolidated election.

Section 4. That the City of Hawthorne recognizes that additional costs will be incurred by the County by reason of this consolidation and agrees to reimburse the county for any cost.

Section 5. That the City Clerk is authorized, instructed and directed to procure and furnish any and all official documents, notices, printed matter, and all supplies, equipment and paraphernalia that may be necessary in order to properly and lawfully conduct the election.

Section 6. That the polls for the election shall be open at seven o' clock a.m. of the day of the election and shall remain open continuously from said time until eight o'clock p.m. of the same day when the polls shall be closed, except as provided in Section 14401 of the Elections Code of the State of California.

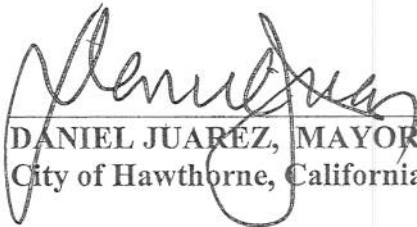
Section 7. That in all particulars not recited in this resolution, the election shall be held and conducted as provided by law for holding municipal elections.

Section 8. That notice of the time and place of holding the election is given and the City Clerk is authorized, instructed and directed to give further or additional notice of election, in time, form and manner required by law.


Section 9. That the City Clerk is hereby directed to file a certified copy of this resolution with the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors and the County Election Department.

Section 10. That the City Clerk shall certify to the passage and adoption of this resolution and enter it into the book of original resolutions.

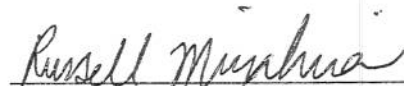
PASSED, APPROVED and adopted this 28th day of May, 2013.


DANIEL JUAREZ, MAYOR
City of Hawthorne, California

ATTEST:


NORBERT A. HUBER, CITY CLERK
City of Hawthorne, California

APPROVED AS TO FORM:


RUSSELL MIYAHIRA, CITY ATTORNEY
City of Hawthorne, California

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES) §
CITY OF HAWTHORNE)


I, **Monica Dicrisci**, the duly elected City Clerk of the City of Hawthorne, California, **DO HEREBY CERTIFY** that the foregoing Resolution, being Resolution No. 7544 as duly adopted by the City Council of the City of Hawthorne, at the regular meeting of the City Council held **May 28, 2013** and that it was adopted by the following vote, to wit:

AYES: Councilmembers Reyes English, Vargas, Valentine, Michelin, Mayor Juarez.

NOES: None.

ABSTAIN: None.

ABSENT: None.


Deputy City Clerk
City of Hawthorne, California

RESOLUTION NO. 7545

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HAWTHORNE, CALIFORNIA, ORDERING THAT A MEASURE CHANGING THE TERM OF OFFICE OF THE DIRECTLY ELECTED MAYOR FROM A TWO-YEAR TERM OF OFFICE TO A FOUR-YEAR TERM OF OFFICE BE SUBMITTED TO THE VOTERS AT THE NOVEMBER 5, 2013 GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION

WHEREAS, under the provisions of laws relating to General Law cities in the State of California, a General Municipal Election is scheduled in the City of Hawthorne for November 5, 2013; and

WHEREAS, the City of Hawthorne is a General Law city with a directly elected mayor, rather than a mayor selected by the city council, having submitted to the electors the question of whether electors shall elect a mayor and four city council members, pursuant to Government Code section 34900, by adoption of Resolution No. 4986 on January 28, 1980; and

WHEREAS, the office of directly elected mayor was thereby established by the electors of the City, with the City Council's certification of results by adoption of Resolution No. 5003 on April 15, 1980, which certified to the passage of Proposition A, creating the office of mayor for two year terms rather than four year terms of office; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Hawthorne deems it advisable to submit to the voters a ballot measure to change the term of office of the directly-elected mayor from two years to four years, which shall then consist of five members each serving four-year terms of office.

NOW THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HAWTHORNE DOES RESOLVE AND ORDER AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Call for Election. Pursuant to the requirements of the laws of the State of California related to general law cities, there shall be, and there is hereby called and ordered, held in the City of Hawthorne, California, on Tuesday, November 5, 2013, a regular general municipal election of qualified voters of said City for the purpose of the mayor, two councilmembers, a city clerk and city treasurer.

Section 2. Form of Measure. The City Council, pursuant to its right and authority, does hereby order submitted to the voters at such General Municipal Election the following measure:

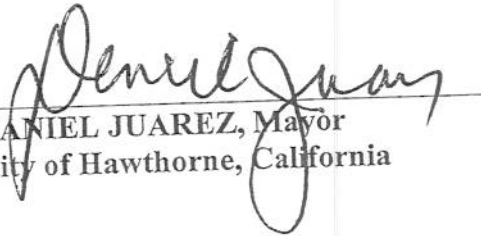
Shall the directly elected mayor for the City of Hawthorne serve a four-year term of office rather than a two-year term of office, so that all members of the City Council of the City of Hawthorne serve four-year terms of office, effective for the 2015 election?	YES	
	NO	

The measure shall be designated on the ballot by a letter printed on the left margin of the square containing the description of the measure, as provided by California Election Code section 13116.

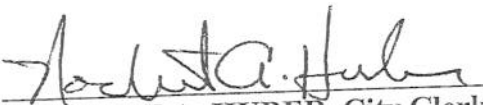
Section 3. Full Text of the Measure. The ballots to be used at the election shall be in form and content as required by law.

Section 4. Certification of Passage and Adoption. The City Clerk shall certify to the passage and adoption of this Resolution and shall enter it into the book of original Resolutions.

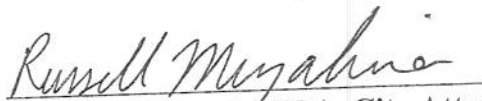
PASSED, APPROVED and ADOPTED this 27th day of June 2013


DANIEL JUAREZ, Mayor
City of Hawthorne, California

ATTEST:


NORBERT A. HUBER, City Clerk
City of Hawthorne, California

APPROVED AS TO FORM:


RUSSELL MIYAHIRA, City Attorney
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AYES: Councilmembers Reyes English, Valentine, Michelin.

NOES: Councilmember Vargas.

ABSTAIN: Mayor Juarez.

ABSENT: None.



Deputy City Clerk
City of Hawthorne, California